

AMENDMENTS TO THE CLAIMS

This listing of claims will replace all prior versions, and listings, of claims in the application.

Claims 1-5 (Cancelled)

6. (Currently Amended) [[The method of claim 5:]] A method comprising:
- receiving an incomplete set of digital content [[wherein the received incomplete set of digital content includes]] including a manifest that indicates a corresponding complete set of digital content; [[and]]
- performing content reception verification to determine that there is a missing content, [[wherein performing content reception verification to determine that there is a particular portion of missing content includes]] including:
- locating an identifier of a content portion in the manifest; and
- recording that the content portion is missing if the identifier does not correspond to an identifier of a received content portion;
- transmitting an indication that the set of content is incomplete including transmitting an indication of the missing content portion;
- receiving digital content that comprises at least some of the missing content; and
- combining the received digital content with the previously received incomplete set of digital content.

Claims 7-8 (Cancelled)

9. (Currently Amended) [[The machine-readable medium of claim 8,]] A machine-readable medium having stored thereon data representing sequences of instructions that when executed cause a machine to:

perform content reception verification on an incomplete set of digital content received from a communication link to determine that there is missing content, wherein the instructions to perform content reception verification further comprise instructions that when executed cause [[causing]] the machine to:

locate an identifier of a content portion in a manifest that indicates a complete set of digital content; and

record that the content portion is missing if the identifier does not correspond to an identifier of a received content portion.

10. (Currently Amended) The machine-readable medium of claim [[8]] 9, wherein the instructions to perform content reception verification further comprise instructions that when executed cause [[causing]] the machine to:

record that the content portion is missing in a missing content log; and

provide feedback indicating that the set of content is an incomplete set by transmitting the missing content log.

11. (Currently Amended) A [[content]] reception system comprising:

a [[data]] receiver to receive data via a [[one way]] communication link; and

a reception verification system to determine if there is missing data and when there is missing data to provide feedback that indicates the missing data via a second communication link,

the reception verification system including logic to determine if there is missing data by locating an identifier of a data portion in a manifest that is received with the data and determine that the data portion is missing if the identifier does not correspond to an identifier of a received data portion.

12. (Currently Amended) The system of claim 11, wherein the [[one way]] communication link has a bandwidth and wherein the second communication link has a lower bandwidth.
13. (Currently Amended) The system of claim 11, wherein the data receiver comprises an antenna [[to receive the data, wherein the system comprises a demodulator to demodulate the received data]], and wherein the content reception system provides the feedback via a telephone line.

Claims 14-29 (Cancelled)

30. (New) The method of claim 6, wherein receiving the incomplete set of digital content comprises receiving broadcast content over a channel.
31. (New) The method of claim 30, further comprising tuning to the channel prior to receiving the incomplete set of digital content.
32. (New) The method of claim 31, further comprising using a schedule of content broadcasts to determine the channel.
33. (New) The method of claim 6, wherein the digital content comprises video, further comprising, after said combining, caching the combined content for delayed viewing.
34. (New) The method of claim 6, wherein the digital content comprises television data.
35. (New) The method of claim 6, wherein the digital content comprises at least a portion of a movie.

36. (New) The method of claim 6, wherein the digital content comprises data in an MPEG-based format.
37. (New) The method of claim 6, wherein said receiving the incomplete set of digital content comprises receiving content over a digital TV channel.
38. (New) The method of claim 6, further comprising displaying the combined content on a television set.
39. (New) The method of claim 6, wherein said receiving the incomplete set of digital content comprises receiving content at a television set top box.
40. (New) The method of claim 6, wherein said receiving the incomplete set of digital content comprises receiving content at a personal video recorder.
41. (New) The method of claim 6, wherein said receiving digital content that comprises at least some of the missing content comprises receiving missing content during a scheduled timeslot.
42. (New) The method of claim 41, further comprising receiving a broadcast indicating the timeslot before said receiving digital content that comprises at least some of the missing content.
43. (New) The method of claim 6, wherein said receiving digital content that comprises at least some of the missing content comprises receiving missing content over a dedicated channel used for broadcasting missing content portions.
44. (New) The method of claim 6, wherein said transmitting the indication comprises transmitting the indication based at least in part on a user quality standard for video.

45. (New) The machine-readable medium of claim 9, wherein the instructions further comprise instructions that when executed cause the machine to:
- use a schedule of content broadcasts to determine a channel;
- tune to the channel; and
- receive broadcast content over the channel.
46. (New) The machine-readable medium of claim 9:
- wherein the instructions to perform content reception verification further comprise instructions that when executed cause the machine to perform content reception verification on at least a portion of a movie; and
- further comprising instructions that when executed cause the machine to cache the portion of the movie for delayed viewing.
47. (New) The machine-readable medium of claim 9, wherein the instructions further comprise instructions that when executed cause the machine to:
- present content to a television set or a personal video recorder.
48. (New) The machine-readable medium of claim 9, wherein the instructions further comprise instructions that when executed cause the machine to:
- receive a timeslot of a broadcast of missing content portions; and
- tune in to receive the missing content portions at the timeslot.
49. (New) The machine-readable medium of claim 9, wherein the instructions further comprise instructions that when executed cause the machine to:

receive missing content over a dedicated channel that is used for broadcasting missing content portions.

50. (New) The machine-readable medium of claim 9, wherein the instructions further comprise instructions that when executed cause the machine to:

provide feedback on missing content based at least in part on a user specified quality standard for video.
51. (New) The reception system of claim 11, further comprising logic to tune the receiver to a channel to receive the data.
52. (New) The reception system of claim 51, further comprising logic to use a schedule of content broadcasts to determine the channel.
53. (New) The reception system of claim 11, further comprising one selected from a digital television and a personal video recorder to receive data.
54. (New) The reception system of claim 11, wherein the receiver is capable of receiving the data over a TV channel.
55. (New) The reception system of claim 11, wherein the receiver is capable of receiving the data from a channel and capable of receiving missing data portions from a lower bandwidth channel.
56. (New) The reception system of claim 11, wherein the reception verification system comprises logic to provide feedback associated with the missing data portions based at least in part on a user specified quality standard for video.